

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In re Application of:</b> Hall, David R., et al	§	<b>Art Group:</b> 2612
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	§	<b>Examiner:</b> Timothy Edwards, Jr.
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<b>Serial No.:</b> 10/710,638	§	
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<b>Filed:</b> July 27, 2004	§	<b>Docket No.:</b> 66.0055
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<b>For:</b> System for Loading Executable Code into Volatile Memory in a Downhole Tool	§	

**VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION**

May 31, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Va. 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is timely submitted in response to the Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed March 6, 2007 for which the shortened-statutory period for response is set to expire June 6, 2007. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

## **AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: